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Weston, for the year ending

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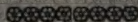
# Annual Report

of the

Auditors of the Town

of

**Weston**  
**Vermont**



**For the Year Ending**  
**January 30, 1932**

**Bring This Book to Town Meeting**



## TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—Charles E. Bolster.

Clerk and Treasurer—Fannie J. Parkhurst.

Selectmen—George E. Benson, term expires 1932;  
C. H. Woodcock, term expires 1933; W. H. Sheppard,  
term expires 1934.

School Directors—Harold S. Waite, term expires  
1932; Kenneth Sheppard, term expires 1933; Annie M.  
Woodcock, term expires 1934.

Auditors—Kenneth F. Sheppard, term expires 1932;  
Florence M. Simonds, term expires 1933; Kenneth C.  
Walker, term expires 1934.

Listers—Percy A. Foster, term expires 1932; Walter  
G. Austin, term expires 1933; Melvin J. Austin, term  
expires 1934.

Road Commissioner—Henry C. Gabert.

Overseer of Poor—Selectmen.

Constable—Edgar S. Woodward.

Second Constable—Edward E. French.

Trustee of Public Money—P. H. Fuller.

Town Grand Juror—P. H. Fuller.

Town Agent—W. H. Sheppard.

Tree Warden—E. E. French.

Sextons—James W. Carver for the Village; August  
Hotz for the Island.

Library Trustees—A. E. Moore, Fannie J. Park-  
hurst, W. G. Austin, P. R. Holt and Helen W. Tuttle.

Weigher of Coal—Harry L. Simonds.

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber—H. L. Simonds and  
I. H. Davis.

Fence Viewers—C. E. Bolster, J. W. Carver and  
Percy A. Foster.

Pound Keepers—W. H. Sheppard, I. H. Davis, Elmer  
Willis and E. C. Jaquith.

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**GRAND LIST, \$3,238.05; INTANGIBLES GROUP 1,  
\$609.50; INTANGIBLES GROUP 2, \$26.40.**

**Taxes Raised**—Highway 50c; School \$1.20; Town,  
including 2c tax for Wilder Memorial Library, \$1.80,  
making a total tax of \$3.50.

Voted to appropriate \$500 for permanent highways.

# AUDITORS' REPORT

TOWN OF WESTON, VERMONT

For the Year Ending

January 30, 1932

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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

C. H. Woodcock, services as selectman 1930..\$	10 00
Kenneth Frederick Sheppard, auditing ac- counts and cash paid out .....	30 00
J. W. Carver, care of town hall .....	2 25
W. H. Sheppard, 11 $\frac{1}{8}$ cords wood for town hall and services as selectman 1930 .....	18 99
Fannie Parkhurst, town treas. and town clerk	101 25
Florence Simonds, church money .....	37 74
J. W. Carver, care of town hall and services as ballot clerk .....	3 00
George Benson, services as selectman .....	10 00
W. G. Austin, services as ballot clerk .....	6 00
H. M. Wilson, paid W. E. Benson Estate, W. E. Benson lister in 1928 .....	25 00
J. W. Carver, care of cemetery .....	23 95
Ernest Schoenfield, taking Leslie Richardson to Brattleboro .....	22 00
Weston's Woman's Club, repairs for town hall	48 38
W. G. Austin, taking list .....	31 33
Robert Davenport, repairs on church .....	2 50
Allie Towslee, mowing cemetery 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days...	11 63
Allie Towslee, mowing old cemetery .....	6 25
New England Metal Culvert Co., road machin- ery repairs .....	32 90
A. W. Fuller, 6 sheep killed by dogs and flock damaged .....	50 00
P. R. Holt, ballot clerk .....	4 00
A. A. DeCell, work in church .....	3 50
J. W. Carver, care of cemetery .....	23 20
W. J. Stoddard, cutting brush .....	1 00



Chancy Harrington, lumber .....	3 00
A. W. Fuller, work on bridge .....	30 50
J. W. Carver, mowing cemetery .....	11 20
W. G. Austin, taking grand list and attending listers' meeting and cutting brush 1 day	34 85
Arthur Moore, care of town clock .....	15 00
Ernest Schoenfield, taking Leslie Richardson to Brattleboro .....	22 00
James McDonald, telephone charges .....	1 00
P. A. Foster, services as lister .....	29 30
Foster Brothers, shoveling snow 85 hours ...	28 33
August Hotz, care of cemetery .....	5 00
P. H. Fuller, stringers for bridges .....	6 25
A. W. Fuller, work on bridge .....	10 50
C. H. Woodcock, making & placing road signs	10 00
C. E. Bolster, insurance, town \$16.15; Har- ring and Briggs \$14.40 paid by town....	30 55
E. H. Atwater, cutting brush 1 day .....	2 50
H. C. Jaquith Co., plank furnished and labor on bridge .....	73 70
W. H. Sheppard, plank furnished, 4200 feet at \$25.00 per thousand .....	105 00
Elmer Willis, breaking roads and putting up snow fence .....	36 00
C. H. Woodcock, putting up snow fence .....	15 00
H. C. Jaquith Co., putting up snow fence and lumber furnished .....	21 00
Alexander Slawson, damage by winter roads, 1929 - '30 .....	10 00
Wilder Memorial Library, appropriation ....	89 76
Wes-Lon Light & Power Co., lights for 1930	207 70
Manchester Printing Co., print. town reports	42 44
Tuttle Co., tax cards and order books .....	17 29
Fannie Parkhurst, making out taxes and post- age on town reports .....	9 50
P. M. Parkhurst, merchandise .....	23 30
Kenneth Calvin Walker, damage done by iron bridge at Island .....	15 00
E. E. French, cutting brush .....	2 00

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**"MISCELLANEOUS" BILLS PAID BY TREASURER****On other than this year's regular orders.**

Ben. Richardson, old order No. 52.....	\$ 98 00
E. E. French, old order No. 69 .....	5 50
C. S. Dutton, old order No. 48 .....	2 00
Percy Foster, old order No. 57 .....	1 00
E. C. Jaquith, interest on order P. ....	25 00
State of Vt., interest on U. S. deposit money	39 29
Dr. Clara C. Leach, reporting diseases .....	2 25
Jennie A. Sheppard, interest on order T ...	45 00
W. H. Sehppard, interest on orders M, O, Q, R, and Z .....	225 00
Hattie B. Simonds, interest on order N ....	50 00
State of Vermont, 5% state highway tax ..	162 78
State of Vermont, 10% state school tax ....	325 56
Chester Savings Bank, order Y and interest	1,012 50
Frederick Chapman, county tax .....	48 84
L. W. English, county agricultural tax .....	42 21
State of Vermont, flood tax .....	305 10
Chester Savings Bank, order W and interest	1,026 67
Gertrude Briggs, interest on orders C and W	9 50
Chester Savings Bank, order X and interest	1,027 64
J. W. Carver, care of the old cemetery ....	20 50
J. W. Carver, care of lots in new ceemtery..	52 00
Dr. A. C. Walker, reporting birth and death	50
Dr. Clara C. Leach, reporting births and deaths .....	2 50
Fannie J. Parkhurst, collecting taxes .....	101 11
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**Breaking Roads**

Elmer Parker, labor .....	\$ 4 50
Fred Graves, 44 hours .....	14 52
A. W. Fuller, self and team, 3½ days .....	14 00
Alexander Marshall, 38¼ hours .....	12 74
John Bresett, labor .....	1 98
E. C. Jaquith, labor .....	3 00
Daniel Stevens, 1½ days .....	3 75
Charles Richardson, 25 hours .....	8 25

Earl Fuller, 22½ hours .....	6 75
Fred Graves, labor and cash paid out .....	22 59
Willie Westine, self and team 3½ days, self 2 hours labor .....	21 66
George Marshall, 33 hours .....	10 90
William Pease, labor .....	4 50
Herbert Colburn, 2 days .....	6 00
Ralph Stevens, 2 days .....	6 00
Hugh Colburn, 1½ days .....	4 50
Fred Gabert, labor .....	5 00
Ollie Orkins, labor .....	6 00
Jack Morgan, 23½ hours .....	7 78
Elmer Parker, team and boys .....	24 22
Eli Colburn, 4½ days .....	13 50
O. L. Hart, 3 days .....	9 00
H. J. Parow, 1½ days .....	4 50
George Parow, 2½ days .....	7 50
John Hale, 2 days .....	6 00
Hiland Pease, 21 hours .....	7 00
William Stevens, 2 days .....	6 00
Pearl Hart, 2 men 64½ hours .....	21 49
Alexander Marshall, 35 hours .....	11 67
L. B. Wadleigh, 31 hours .....	10 33
Everett Powers, 22 hours .....	7 42
Thomas Powers, 67 hours .....	22 34
Hugh Foster, 28 hours .....	9 33
A. W. Fuller, self and team 2 days, self 3 days	21 00
Allie Towslee, 34 hours .....	11 33
George Clayton, 3 days .....	9 00
Richard DeCell, 8 hours .....	2 75
John Bresett, 21 hours .....	6 98
H. I. DeCell, 3 days .....	9 00
Frank Briggs, 27 hours .....	10 02
Augustus Stevens, labor .....	10 62
C. H. Woodcock, labor .....	31 00
Charles Stevens .....	7 63
Elmer Parker .....	6 00
Milton Foster .....	12 00
Robert Davenport .....	7 17
Town of Peru .....	421 00
Einer Fabricius .....	17 99



John Fabricius, 46½ hours .....	15 50
George Clayton, 3 days, 4 hours .....	10 32
Allie Towslee, 25 hours .....	8 33
H. I. DeCell, 2½ days .....	7 50
Nelson Smith, 34 hours .....	11 33
Jack Morgan .....	3 00
Henry Hart .....	7 67
William Pease, 16 hours .....	4 48
Frank Johnson .....	14 00
William Tallman .....	5 32
W. H. Sheppard .....	11 00
E. J. DeCell, 23 hours .....	6 44
Lowell DeCell, 46 hours .....	15 12
Town of Andover, 75 hours at \$4.00 .....	300 00
Town of Ludlow, 21 hours at \$8.50 .....	178 00
H. B. Cook .....	4 00
A. W. Chadburn .....	3 60
Lawrence Fuller .....	6 33
Leon Holton .....	7 00
Viola Colvin, 17 hours .....	4 30
Fay Benson .....	7 00
C. H. Woodcock, self and team .....	5 00
John Bresett, 1 day .....	2 50
William J. Austin .....	10 33
Ryland Spaulding .....	6 00
John Fabricius .....	5 00
Augustus Hotz .....	4 00
E. H. Atwater, shoveling snow and turning water .....	8 34
F. E. Morse .....	9 33
H. C. Jaquith Company .....	69 10
George DeCell .....	6 00
Ed Parker .....	13 50

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**OVERSEER OF POOR ORDERS**

Brandon State School, clothing furnished Elmer and Jennie Johnson .....	\$ 29 76
Hugh Foster, care of Fred Haselton .....	20 00
Department of Public Welfare, care of Alida Hart, August, September and October..	24 00
Brandon State School, clothing furnished Elmer and Jennie Johnson .....	38 50
Department of Public Welfare, care of Alida Hart, December and January .....	16 00
W. H. Sheppard, services as overseer, keeping tramps and telephone expenses .....	17 05
P. M. Parkhurst, merchandise furnished Pearl Hart's family 1931 .....	100 00
Department of Public Welfare, care of Alida Hart, November 13th .....	12 00
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## SCHOOL DIRECTORS' ORDERS

Roy Moore, sawing wood .....	\$ 4 00
Abbie Follette, services as superintendent..	10 00
Town of Chester, tuition 1-3 year .....	140 00
Ginn & Company, books .....	9 70
Charles E. Merrill Co., spellers .....	1 80
J. L. Hammett Company, paper .....	11 37
J. L. Hammett Company, paper .....	11 15
Little, Brown & Company, readers .....	6 28
H. J. Parow, transportation 15 days .....	15 00
Daniel Stevens, 1 week janitor .....	1 15
Annie M. Woodcock, services as school direct- or 1930-1931 .....	10 00
Harold S. Waite, services as school director, 1930 - 1931 .....	10 00
Frank Johnson, transportation, 153 days at \$2	306 00
Mrs. Frank Briggs, janitor 19 weeks at \$5..	95 00
Mrs. Frank Morse, transportation .....	5 00
Mrs. C. E. Carver, transportation .....	5 00
George Parow, transportation 45 days .....	36 00
Abbie E. Follette, services as superintendent and transportation .....	11 00
Daniel Stevens, janitor 6 weeks at \$1.15 ....	6 90
Vermont Academy, tuition 1/2 yr., Helen Kile	30 00
Wes-Lon Light & Power Co., 1/2 year light bill	8 77
Kenneth F. Sheppard, transportation of Stod- dard children, 26 days at \$1.50 .....	39 00
Mrs. C. E. Carver, transportation .....	5 80
Lois Mabel Thompson, teaching 15 weeks....	300 00
Daniel Stevens, janitor 4 weeks .....	4 60
Pearl Hart, transportation .....	132 00
P. M. Parkhurst, supplies .....	4 06
Town of Chester, 1-3 year tuition .....	140 00
R. M. Wilcomb, for Chas. Lester, 1/2 year....	30 00
George P. Brown & Co., reports .....	1 70
Percy Foster, transportation 161 days .....	354 20
Abbie E. Follette, services as superintendent	15 60
Mrs. Agnes Coulter, transportation 99 days at \$1.75 .....	173 25

Frank Briggs, 52½ hours work at 60c, on village and Bennett schools .....	31 50
John Bresett, labor 53 hours .....	29 44
C. E. Bolster, insurance .....	18 98
Frank Briggs, labor .....	19 20
Mrs. Frank Briggs, janitor 9 weeks at \$2.50	22 50
John Bresett, 34 hours labor on school houses	18 89
Mrs. Elmer Parker, cleaning school rooms...	7 95
Kenneth F. Sheppard, labor and trucking ..	20 00
Frank Briggs, labor on school buildings 6 hrs. at 60c, and 1 week janitor at \$2.50 .....	6 10
Frank Briggs, janitor 2 weeks and 14 hours work on school houses .....	13 40
John Bresett, flag pole .....	1 00
Abbie E. Follete, salary and transportation to October 1, 1931 .....	5 50
P. M. Parkhurst, supplies .....	41 72
E. E. French, truant officer and director ....	8 75
Hugh Benson, janitor work 4 weeks .....	4 60
Lois Mabel Thompson, 3 weeks teaching and \$4.00 back pay .....	67 00
Mrs. Morse, transportation at 20c per day...	30 00
Mrs. Agnes Coulter, transportation, 15 days at \$1.45 and 17 days at \$1.95 .....	54 90
Abbie E. Follette, salary and convention expenses .....	17 00
Olive M. Parson, 33 weeks teaching at \$21...	693 00
Montpelier Seminary, tuition 1-3 year for Clifford Parker .....	25 00
J. L. Hammett Company, supplies .....	21 39
Silver Burdett Company, readers .....	4 71
Howard & Brown, diplomas .....	4 10
V. J. Colvin, sawing 5 cords wood at Bennett school .....	3 75
Hugh Benson, janitor 4 weeks .....	4 60
Frank Briggs, janitor 2 weeks, labor 3½ hrs.	12 10
L. Mabel Thompson, teaching 11 weeks ....	231 00
Wes-Lon Light & Power Co., lights and services charged at village school .....	4 28



W. K. Smith, transportation 84 days at \$1.99	167 16
Mrs. Pearl Hart, transportation 21 days ....	21 00
Helen Fannie Carver, teaching 33 weeks ....	759 00
Augustus Stevens, work on Shattuck school..	1 00
Mrs. Agnes Coulter, transportation 32 days..	62 40
Hugh Benson, janitor 5 weeks and \$1.00 handling wood .....	6 75
M. F. Proctor, materials for schools .....	104 37
B. H. Sanborn, supplies .....	3 72
Scott, Foresman & Company, supplies .....	10 59
Charles E. Merrill Company, supplies .....	4 92
Ginn & Company, books .....	29 23
Montpelier Seminary, tuition for Clifford Parker .....	25 00
Hugh Benson, throwing in wood .....	5 00
Annie M. Woodcock, taking census .....	4 08
Abbie E. Follete, services as superintendent..	10 50
Fannie J. Parkhurst, making out June report	3 00
Mrs. Agnes Coulter, 20 days transportation..	39 00
R. M. Wilcomb, town manager of Springfield, 1/2 year tuition for Charles Lester .....	37 50
Mrs. Pearl Hart, transportation .....	15 75
Raymond Merritt, labor at village school ....	85
P. M. Parkhurst, supplies .....	8 21
Frank Briggs, throwing in wood at village school .....	4 15
George Parow, transportation 15 days .....	15 00
Charles Foster, labor on wood .....	30
E. E. French, work on Bennett school .....	6 60
L. Mabel Thompson, teaching 5 weeks .....	100 00
Mrs. C. E. Carver, transportation .....	4 00
Daniel Stevens, janitor 8 weeks .....	9 20

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## ACCOUNT OF HENRY GABERT

## ROAD COMMISSIONER

## Town Roads

Henry Gabert—

Self 10½ days .....	\$ 31 50
Self 18 days .....	54 00
Man and truck 8¾ days .....	78 75
Self 6 days .....	18 00
Self, man and truck 5½ days .....	66 00
Self 2½ days, self, man & truck 1½ days	25 50
Robert Davenport, 1 day .....	2 50
Will Stoddard, 2½ days .....	6 25
Allie Towslee, 1 day .....	2 50
H. C. Jaquith Company, Order No. 6 .....	161 25
Elmer Parker, 20½ days .....	51 25
H. I. DeCell, 7½ days .....	18 75
Rollin Hale, 11½ days .....	28 75
Hugh Benson, 6 days at \$2, 6¾ days at \$2.50	30 25
Fay Gabert, 3 days .....	6 00
George DeCell, 2 days .....	5 00
Eli Colburn, 18½ days .....	46 25
Fay Gabert, 1½ days .....	3 00
Byron Wilkins, 3¼ days .....	8 13
John Hale, 1 day .....	2 50
H. I. DeCell, repairing tools .....	3 25
Malcolm Jaquith, 1 day .....	2 50
Dyar Sales & Machinery Company, one blade	5 50
Hugh Colburn, 3 days .....	7 50
Kendall Smith, freight paid out .....	1 24
Will Stoddard, labor .....	3 50
E. H. Atwater, 2 days .....	5 00
Mrs. C. S. Waite, gravel furnished .....	10 00
P. A. Foster, 4 days .....	10 00
H. C. Jaquith Company, Order No. 52 .....	352 94
Byron Wilkins, ½ day .....	1 25
John Fabricius, for gravel .....	8 65
F. A. French, repairing .....	1 30
P. M. Parkhurst, merchandise .....	8 50



H. L. Simonds, shovels .....	4	36
Ryland Spaulding, 2 days .....	5	00
H. L. Simonds, merchandise .....	2	88
H. C. Jaquith Company, Order No. 64 .....	38	75
C. E. Bolster, plow parts .....	6	70
Lawrence DeCell, 1½ days .....	1	25
E. C. Jaquith .....	5	81
Fay Gabert, 1½ day .....	1	25
H. C. Jaquith Company, Order No. 69 .....	14	75
State of Vermont, patrol work .....	425	00

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### State Roads

Eli Colburn, 14 days .....	\$	35	00
Frank Stevens, 2 days .....		5	00
John Hale, 18 2-3 days .....		44	17
Lawrence DeCell, 7½ days .....		18	75
Frank Stevens, 4 days .....		10	00
C. E. Carver Estate, caps .....		2	75
Rollin Hale, 27½ days .....		68	75
Lawrence DeCell, 4 days .....		10	00
Frank Stevens, 4 days .....		10	00
H. I. DeCell, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Herbert Colburn, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Rollin Hale, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Hugh Colburn, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
John Hale, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Elmer Parker, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Lawrence DeCell, 3 days, 8 hours .....		9	73
Henry Gabert, man and truck .....		178	67
H. C. Jaquith Company, man and truck ....		211	11
Hugh Colburn, 25 days .....		62	50
Elmer Parker, 24 days .....		60	00
Fred Gabert, 5 days .....		12	50
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts ....		122	90
M. F. Proctor, explosives .....		9	50
Willie Westine, labor .....		5	98
Elmer Parker .....		11	95
E. J. DeCell, 400 yards gravel .....		40	00
E. J. DeCell, 200 yards gravel filling .....		10	00
Rollin Hale, labor .....		14	45

John Hale, labor .....	8 20
Henry Gabert .....	82 99
Winfield Dubois .....	94 67
H. I. DeCell, 29½ days .....	73 75
Willie Westine, 5½ days .....	13 75
K. F. Sheppard, labor .....	6 25
H. I. DeCell, labor .....	14 45
Willie Westine, 6 days .....	15 00
Donald Rugg, 2 days .....	5 00
Winfield Dubois, 8 days .....	72 00
H. I. DeCell, blacksmith work .....	3 00
Henry Gabert, 10 days .....	30 00
Donald Rugg, 2 days .....	5 00
Willie Westine, 1 day .....	2 50
Winfield Dubois, 1½ days .....	12 00
Vermont Road Equipment Co., drilling .....	60 00
Mrs. C. S. Waite, gravel .....	46 00
Henry Gabert, man and truck, order No. 72..	279 33
Henry Gabert, 3 days .....	9 00
H. C. Jaquith Co., labor, order No. 74 .....	163 98
F. A. Boynton, caps and fuses .....	3 00
C. E. Bolster, plow parts .....	4 50
Treas. of State of Vt., dynamite, bits, etc...	68 85
H. C. Jaquith Company .....	10 00
Hugh Colburn .....	14 45
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### Back Roads

Eli Colburn, 14 days .....	\$ 35 00
Hugh Benson, 5 days, 2½ hours .....	13 19
Frank Stevens, 1 day .....	2 50
Daniel Stevens, 1 day .....	2 50
Byron Wilkins, labor .....	1 94
H. I. DeCell, 34 days .....	85 00
Frank Stevens, 1½ days .....	3 75
Rollin Hale, 34½ days .....	86 25
Winfield Dubois, self and truck, order No. 24	119 00
Henry Gabert, order No. 25 .....	57 00
Hugh Colburn, 29 days .....	72 50
O. L. Hart, 1 day .....	2 50
Elmer Parker, 2 days and 8 hours .....	7 23



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Hugh Colburn, 3 days, 8 hours .....	9 73
Rollin Hale, 3 days, 8 hours .....	9 73
Hugh Benson, 2 days, 8 hours .....	7 23
H. I. DeCell, 2 days, 8 hours .....	7 23
Henry Gabert, order No. 36 .....	242 00
Winfield Dubois .....	39 50
Elmer Parker, 32½ days .....	81 25
Rollin Hale, 4 days .....	10 00
Henry Hart, 3 days .....	7 50
R. B. Slade, man and truck .....	58 50
Hugh Benson, 23½ days .....	58 75
R. B. Slade, man and truck .....	54 00
A. W. Fuller, 2 days .....	5 00
R. B. Slade .....	37 00
H. I. DeCell, 5 days, 1 hour .....	12 78
Hugh Colburn, 5 days, 1 hour .....	12 78
Hugh Benson, 4 days, 5½ hours .....	11 53
Rollin Hale, 5 days, 1 hour .....	12 78
Elmer Parker, 3 days, 5½ hours .....	9 03
William Pease, 2 days .....	5 00
R. B. Slade, man and truck 3 days .....	27 00
William Pease, 2 days .....	5 00
Mrs. C. S. Waite, gravel .....	114 40
John Hale, 1 day .....	2 50
A. W. Fuller, ½ day .....	1 25
Henry Gabert, order No. 74, man and truck..	253 33
Henry Gabert, order No. 75 .....	79 49
Fred Boynton, dynamite .....	43 00
H. C. Jaquith Co., order No. 77 .....	291 78
Byron Wilkins, 1 day .....	2 50

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## TREASURER'S REPORT

## Receipts

Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1931 .....	\$ 2,349	86
E. E. French, lease 1931 .....		80
State of Vermont, highway maintenance ...	80	00
State of Vermont, school appropriation....	120	34
State of Vermont, snow removal .....	500	00
Chester Savings Bank, order W at 5% .....	1,000	00
Chester Savings Bank, order X at 5% .....	1,000	00
Chester E. Carver Est., cemetery lot No. 15	15	00
J. W. Carver, rent of town hall .....	8	84
Raymond Taylor, copper measures .....	5	00
Town of Landgrove, school tuition .....	102	00
Chester Savings Bank, order Y at 5% .....	1,000	00
State Treasurer, school superintendent ....	26	25
State Treasurer, school repairs .....	205	40
Town Clerk, dog license money .....	123	20
Harriette D. Bailey, lease 1931 .....	3	20
Levi Gabert, lease 1931 .....		80
State Treasurer, unselected highways .....	1,999	89
Town of Wardsboro, use of derrick .....	25	00
State Treasurer, advanced instruction .....	233	39
Transportation and board .....	380	61
Trained teachers in rural schools .....	336	12
State Treasurer, superintendent .....	26	25
Nora Richardson Est., lease 1931 .....	3	50
State Treasurer, permanent construction...	1,000	00
State Treasurer, 5% highway money .....	598	90
John Fabricius, lease .....	5	78
State Treasurer, State Aid highways .....	55	00
Roy A. Moore, lease 1931 .....	5	50
G. B. Davis, lease 1932 .....	4	00
H. C. Jaquith Co., lease 1931 .....	3	00
George Benson, lease 1931 .....	6	45
E. S. Woodward, collector—		
Taxes 1923 .....	10	02
Taxes 1925 .....	35	40
Taxes 1928 .....	5	41
Taxes 1929 .....	20	65
Taxes 1930 .....	81	53
Taxes 1931 .....	95	90



Fannie J. Parkhurst—

Highway taxes, 1931 .....	1,428	49
School taxes, 1931 .....	3,346	26
Town taxes, 1931 .....	4,783	54
State Flood taxes, 1931 .....	258	00
Intangible Group 1, 1931 .....	234	05
Intangible Group 2, 1931 .....	50	69

Chester Savings Bank—

Interest on Old Cemetery Fund .....	26	75
Interest on other funds .....	28	00

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Disbursements

Selectmen's orders .....	\$ 1,412	54
Miscellaneous .....	4,630	45
Winter roads .....	1,677	55
Support of Poor .....	157	31
Schools .....	4,815	07
Town roads .....	1,573	01
State roads .....	2,109	76
Unselected roads .....	1,999	93
	<u>\$ 18,375</u>	62

Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1932 ..... \$3,263 15

Received for Highways—

Town Taxes .....	\$ 1,453	50
State money .....	3,733	79
Appropriation from town ..	500	00
	<u>\$ 5,687</u>	29

Cost of Highways—

Town roads (summer) .....	\$1,573	01
Unselected .....	1,999	93
State roads .....	2,109	76
	<u>\$ 5,682</u>	70

\$4 59

Received for schools .....	\$4,842	49
Orders paid for schools .....	4,815	07

\$27 42

Paid out for breaking roads .....	\$1,677	55
Received from state .....	500	00

Cost to town ..... \$1,177 55

## DELINQUENT TAXES, 1931

Armstrong, Ralph C. ....	\$ 10 65
Avery Charles .....	5 20
Bresett, John L. ....	19 20
Briggs, Frank T. ....	5 20
Briggs, Ruth L. ....	5 20
Colburn, Eli .....	4 65
Colburn, Flora .....	9 15
Cook, Hollis B. ....	5 20
Colvin, Vollie J. ....	45 45
Colvin, Rena .....	5 20
Davenport, Robert .....	3 40
Davenport, Lena .....	3 40
DeCell, H. I. ....	41 33
DeCell, Erving .....	6 35
Dow, Fred F. ....	5 40
Foster, Warren J. ....	5 20
Fuller, Vivian C. ....	5 20
Fuller, Lawrence .....	8 65
Gabert, Carrie .....	36 90
Hale, Johnnie A. ....	3 58
Hale, Elna .....	3 40
Hart, W. W. ....	15 10
Hart, Mae .....	7 72
Hart, Orvis L. ....	12 60
Hart, Mary C. ....	12 15
Hart, P. A. and Otis .....	13 28
Hart, Willard .....	5 20
Hart, Frances .....	5 20
Harrington & Briggs .....	17 65
Harrington, Nellie B. ....	5 20
Harrington, C. H. ....	8 80
Harrington, Harriet .....	21 40
Holton, Leon J. ....	5 20
Helberg, Frank J. ....	32 50
Jackson, Elias D. ....	10 65
Jacobs, Julian S. ....	17 65
Jelley Estate, Joseph .....	17 65



Johnson, Ada .....	5 20
King, Frank .....	51 25
Mansur, Frank .....	56 95
Morgan, Jack .....	5 20
Parker, Elmer .....	6 28
Parker, Edwin C. ....	7 65
Penniman, Frank .....	6 60
Penniman, Regina .....	5 20
Powers, Thomas H. ....	5 20
Peabody, Nelson J. ....	228 05
Richardson, Hazel .....	5 20
Robinson, Frank .....	5 20
Roberts, Marsena .....	7 48
Stevens, Frank and Maud .....	36 53
Stevens, Maud .....	5 20
Stevens, Charles .....	5 20
Stevens, Ralph .....	5 20
Sinclair Oil Co. ....	7 15
Sologub, Louis B. ....	169 90
Tarble Est., M. ....	1 55
Tiraboschi, Frank .....	10 65
Turner, T. A. ....	17 65
Tift, Charles .....	5 20
Tift, Elsie .....	5 20
Westine, W. J. ....	12 20
Westine, Mary .....	5 20
Wolfe, Harris .....	7 15
Wes-Lon Light & Power Co. ....	210 15
York, Myron .....	6 95
York, Margaret .....	5 20
Orkins, Allie .....	5 20

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\$1,362 80

**DUE ON PREVIOUS TAX RECEIPTS**

1926 .....	\$123 53
1927 .....	128 24
1928 .....	208 46
1929 .....	366 79
1930 .....	475 66
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	\$1,302 68

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**UNPAID LEASES**

H. I. DeCell, 1923-1924 .....	\$ 10 50
Frank Stevens, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 .....	21 00
Nelson J. Peabody, 1931 .....	3 00
Sophie B. Goller .....	7 50
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	\$42 00

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## Borrowed Money Orders Unpaid

Sept. 9, 1922, Gertrude Briggs, Order W....	\$ 50 00
June 2, 1926, Gertrude Briggs, Order C....	140 00
May 15, 1922, Hattie B. Simonds, Order N..	1,000 00
Aug. 26, 1922, Jennie A. Sheppard, Order T	900 00
June 8, 1921, W. H. Sheppard, Order M....	1,000 00
June 8, 1922, W. H. Sheppard, Order O....	1,000 00
May 18, 1922, W. H. Sheppard, Order Q....	1,000 00
June 17, 1922, W. H. Sheppard, Order R....	500 00
May 11, 1925, W. H. Sheppard, Order Z....	1,000 00
April 1, 1929, Ervin C. Jaquith, Order P....	500 00
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	\$7,090 00

## Liabilities

Borrowed money orders .....	\$ 7,090 00
U. S. Surplus Fund .....	764 70
Peck cemetery fund .....	300 00
Cragin cemetery fund .....	100 00
Clayton cemetery fund .....	100 00
Tenney cemetery fund .....	100 00
P. M. Parkhurst, overseer of poor order	
No. 10 .....	100 00
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	\$8,554 70

## Resources

Balance in treasury .....	\$ 3,263 15
Delinquent taxes, subject to abate-	
ment .....	2,665 48
Unpaid leases .....	42 00
Due from Harrington and Briggs	
on mortgage, Johnson house.	336 00
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	\$ 6,306 63
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Balance of indebtedness .....	\$2,248 07



The following cemetery funds are in the Chester Savings Bank:

Emma Wilder Parkhurst, old cemetery fund.	\$512 86
Emma C. Peabody fund .....	53 34
Johnson and Burton fund .....	109 91
Spaulding and Pease fund .....	110 03
Eben C. Shattuck fund .....	110 28
J. A. and Florence J. Parkhurst fund .....	112 41
Elizabeth H. Wilkinson fund .....	213 33
Teresa Stevens fund .....	106 72

Having examined the books of the treasurer, selectmen, overseer, school directors, highway commissioner and tax collector, this report is respectfully submitted.

KENNETH F. SHEPPARD,

KENNETH C. WALKER,

Auditors.

## WILDER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

## Receipts

Balance from last year .....	\$ 194 99
Interest on bonds .....	212 50
Town appropriation .....	89 76
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	\$497 25

## Expenditures

Wes-Lon Light & Power Co., lights to Feb. 1 .....	\$19 27
E. J. DeCell, wood .....	28 00
Harriet E. Harrington, librarian.....	56 25
Harriet E. Harrington, extra work....	1 90
Ada Johnson, cleaning library .....	2 63
George Marshall, labor and wax.....	5 50
Roy Moore, sawing wood .....	3 20
Alden Fuller, janitor service .....	34 25
M. H. Smith, window cleaner, broom and dust mop .....	7 29
Gaylord Bros., Inc., supplies .....	2 95
Curtis Moore, putting in wood .....	2 50
C. E. Bolster, insurance .....	16 50
N. M. Smith, 2 mats .....	1 50
Books purchased .....	26 48
Magazine subscriptions .....	30 10
Deposit in savings bank .....	12 50
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	\$ 250 82

Balance January 30, 1932..... \$246 43

There is also \$128.72 in the Chester Savings Bank, which is to be left to accumulate in accordance with the wishes of the donors, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parkhurst.

During the past year Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parkhurst have given the library a very fine set of histories. Sixteen books have been given by the State Free Public

Library Department and a large number of books were loaned to us by that Department. Mrs. Harriette D. Bailey has presented the library with several books. Seventeen books have been purchased. The library is well patronized and is especially enjoyed by the children of the town.

FANNIE J. PARKHURST,

Library Trustee.



## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of Weston:

Our schools continue to grow in numbers. This year we have an enrollment of 84 pupils, with the same teachers as last year. Per cent of attendance thus far is 92½. The following pupils were in school every day during the first half year: Shirley Gabert, Catherine Waite, Merrill Hale, Robert Johnson, Glen Foster, Wayne Foster, Vivian Foster, Winslow Hale, Roger Holton, Jessie Johnson, Dorothy Morse, Fernando Parker, Dwight Pease, Leslie Westine, Richard Westine, Glen Westine.

In June four pupils were graduated from the 8th grade, none of whom entered high school. We now have nine young people in high school. Two completed high school work in June.

Some repairs have been made on our school buildings. The grammar room at the village has a new ceiling. The Bennett School has a new hardwood floor and electric lights have been installed. Some new books have been added to our equipment.

As usual the school children have earned some money to buy needed material. Generally speaking, the year has been a successful one.

Very truly yours,

ABBIE E. FOLLETTE,

Superintendent.

## VITAL STATISTICS

### Births Registered in the Town of Weston, 1931

- Jan. 28—Winifred Alida Simonds, daughter of Harry Luke and Florence May (Shattuck) Simonds. (Born in Bellows Falls, Vermont).
- May 28—Lucille Anne Jelley, daughter of Lyle Alfred and Myrtle Maude (Stevens) Jelley.
- July 9—Mildred Caroline Prime, daughter of Charles William and Florene Lydia (Fuller) Prime.
- July 24—Ralph Frank Johnston, son of Frank Nathaniel and Matilda (Mcse) Johnson.
- Aug. 17—Margaret Jane Hale, daughter of Johnnie Allen and Elna Adelaide (Parker) Hale.
- Sept. 7—Claire Wilkins Hart, daughter of Pearl Adelbert and Lyda Maria (Wilkins) Hart.
- Oct. 8—Stephen Russell Keith, son of Russell Adna and Nellie Lillian (Stevens) Keith.
- Nov. 4—Lois Mabel Mansur, daughter of Frank and Lena Etta Adelaide (French) Mansur.

### Deaths

- March 27—Francis Llewellyn Woodcock, son of Clayton Harrison Woodcock and Clara (French) Woodcock, age 10 years, 8 months, 21 days. (Died in Springfield, Vermont).
- April 10—Burton R. French, son of Amaziah French and Catherine Amelia (Bennett) French, age 64 years, 9 months, 1 day.
- Sept. 25—Claire Wilkins Hart, daughter of Pearl Adelbert Hart and Lyda Marie (Wilkins) Hart, age 18 days.





# WARNING

## FOR TOWN MEETING

The legal voters of the Town of Weston are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in the said Weston on Tuesday, the first day of March A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles, viz.:

1. To choose a Moderator.
2. To act on the Auditor's Report.
3. To see if the Town will authorize and empower the Selectmen to appoint one or two Road Commissioners.
4. To elect all the necessary Town Officers required by the law to be elected at the annual March meeting.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to pay current expenses, support of highways and bridges and schools and all or any part of its indebtedness.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money in addition to that now required by law to take advantage of the State Laws for permanent highways and resurfacing, and if so, how much?
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise money in addition to that required by law for the Wilder Memorial Library.
8. To see what method the town will take to collect the taxes.
9. To transact any other business necessary and proper to come before the meeting.

GEORGE E. BENSON,  
C. HARRISON WOODCOCK,  
WILLIAM H. SHEPPARD,

Selectmen.

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